



MILLINGTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

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"YOU CAN'T HIDE THAT CARDINAL PRIDE"

SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATES FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 7, 2022

Congratulations to the varsity football team for defeating Standish-Sterling 14-12 on Friday. The Cardinals will play away against Reed City in the Regional Final Game on Saturday, November 12, 2022 at 1:00 pm.



Upcoming Events

Monday 11/7	School Board Meeting @ 6:00 pm NHS Induction @ 7:00 pm
Tuesday 11/8	Election Day
Wednesday 11/9	Parent-Teacher Conferences
Thursday 11/10	Parent-Teacher Conferences
Saturday 11/12	Varsity Football – Regional Finals @ Reed City – 1:00 pm
Tuesday 11/15	No School
Friday 11/18	Princess Night
Tuesday 11/22	Millington Drama Club – Talent Show NHS Blood Drive – Millington Jr/Sr High School Library
11/23 – 11/25	No School – Thanksgiving Break

"There is no security on this earth; there is only opportunity."

Douglas MacArthur

Staff Spotlight



The Millington Community Schools Staff Spotlight for the week of November 7, 2022 is Mrs. Oakwood. Mrs. Oakwood has taught Art at the High School, Kirk Elementary, and currently Meachum Elementary over the past fifteen school years. She has also owned her own business in recent years. Mrs. Oakwood graduated from Caro High School in 1991 and went on to earn degrees from Lansing Community College, Central Michigan University, and Saginaw Valley State University. She has a degree in Commercial Art Graphic Design and a Bachelor's Degree in Education. Mrs. Oakwood is certified to teach K-12 Art and Secondary English. She

and her husband, Adam, have two children who have attended Millington Community Schools: Natalie (2020) who is currently attending Saginaw Valley State University and participated in Student Council, Basketball, and Track when she attended MHS. Nathaniel (2024) who is currently a junior at MHS and is involved in Student Council, Basketball, Track, and Football.

Cardinals in the Crowd – “Once a Cardinal, Always a Cardinal”

This week's Cardinals in the Crowd are Joe and Melissa Gross. They were attending the football game Friday night to watch their son, Aaron Gross, who was the honorary team captain against Standish-Sterling. Mr. and Mrs. Gross have three children who have attended Millington Community Schools: Aaron (2023), Anthony (2020), Tyler (2016) and Thomas (2014). Anthony played for the Cardinals during the 2018 and 2019 seasons. Aaron is involved in Football, Powerlifting, and Track. Mr. Gross and Mrs. Gross both graduated from Millington High School in 1993. Mrs. Gross started working as a paraprofessional at Millington Community Schools in 2011 and has been at Meachum Elementary school the past two school years. Mr. Gross participated in powerlifting when he attended Millington High School and has also served the district as a bus driver in the past. Some of his best memories from school were when he played eighth grade football for Coach Smith and Coach Margriff.

